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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

RIZZO RECEIVES PTA SCHOLARSHIP

CHARLESTON-- Eastern Illinois University student Aimee Rizzo, daughter of Samuel and Jane Rizzo of Orland Park, is a recipient of an Illinois Parent Teacher Association (PTA) Scholarship.

She was selected to receive the scholarship by the faculty of Eastern's Department of Special Education. The awards are based on scholarship, leadership, service and responsibility.

Out of 47 special education majors, only two were awarded the PTA Scholarship at Eastern in 1994-95. The scholarship was presented at the December Special Education Recognition Award Ceremony.

Rizzo, a 1993 graduate of Carl Sandburg High School in Orland Park, is a sophomore at Eastern majoring in special education.

Eastern, which is celebrating its 100th anniversary in 1994-95, is a comprehensive university with more than 10,500 students and 46 undergraduate and 27 graduate degree programs. It is a teaching institution which prides itself on the quality and affordability of its undergraduate program.